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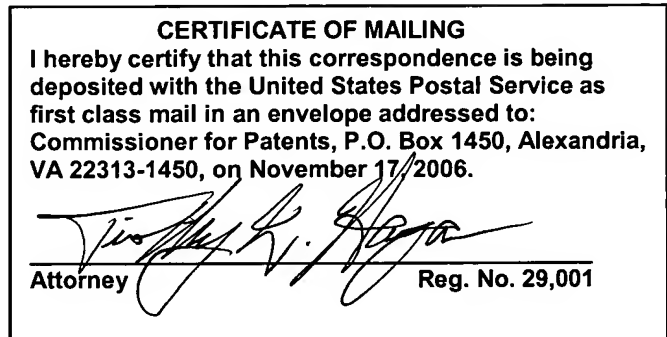
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of

Applicants : William A. Cuevas and Manoj Kumar  
Serial No. : 10/800,179  
Filed : March, 12, 2004  
Title : **USE OF REPEAT SEQUENCE PROTEIN POLYMERS  
IN PERSONAL CARE COMPOSITIONS**  
Docket : DOC0057PA/DC5074/GC792-4  
Examiner : A. Kosar  
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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME IN WHICH TO RESPOND**

Applicants hereby request a three (3) month extension of time in which to file a response to the Office Action mailed May 17, 2006. Our check in the amount of \$1,020.00 is enclosed with this paper.

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